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August 29, 2005

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Dan Arnett Chief of Staff South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff Post Office Box 11263 Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re:

Docket No. 2005-5-G – Annual Review of South Carolina Electric and Gas Company's Purchased Gas Adjustments and Gas Purchasing Policies

Dear Mr. Arnett:

Enclosed please find a copy of SCE&G's Responses to the Office of Regulatory Staff's Data Request (Set No. 1). I am serving a copy of these responses on Scott Elliott. SCE&G will supplement these responses to the extent required to do so under the applicable South Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure.

Pursuant to the agreement reached Friday with your office, responses 1-1, 1-2 and 1-4 will be filed by September 7, 2005. Replies to questions 1-7, 1-8 and 1-9 which request audit related accounting documents are being filed outside of these responses.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter, and please call me if I may be of assistance.

With kind regards,

Patricia Banks Morrison

PBM/kms Enclosures

cc:

Scott Elliott, Esq.

Charles L.A. Terreni, PSC (w/o enclosures)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE VIA MAIL

I hereby certify that on August 29, 2005, a copy of South Carolina Electric & Gas
Company's Responses to the Office of Regulatory Staff's Data Requests (Set No. 1) was served on
the party listed below at the addresses indicated by depositing a true copy thereof in the United
States Mail at Columbia, South Carolina, in an envelope with adequate first-class postage duly
affixed and a return address clearly indicated thereon and addressed to:

Mr. Scott Elliott, Esq. 721 Olive Street Columbia, SC 29205

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